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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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In re Patent Application of ) **BOX: Missing Parts**  
Moses Samson CHARIKAR ) Group Art Unit: 2176  
Application No.: 10/029,883 ) Examiner: Unassigned  
Filed: December 31, 2001 )  
For: METHODS AND APPARATUS )  
FOR ESTIMATING SIMILARITY )

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE**  
**MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed on March 1, 2002,  
enclosed are the following:

- ☒ Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- ☒ Petition for Three Month Extension of Time and required fee of 920.00;
- ☒ The required declaration surcharge of ☐ \$65.00 ☒ \$130.00;
- ☒ Other: Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.

☐ The required Application filing fee, as calculated below, is also enclosed:

CLAIMS					
	No. of Claims		Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Basic Application Fee					\$740.00
Total Claims		Minus 20 =		x \$18.00 =	
Ind. Claims		Minus 3 =		x \$ 84.00 =	
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$280.00					
Total Application Fee					
If Small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE					

☒ A check in the amount of \$ 1,050.00 is enclosed.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1070.



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Respectfully submitted,

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